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of	MARCH 20	, 20_06, are true and correct. I further swear (or affirm) that
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	c) Statement of Income (Loss).	
	d) Statement of Changes in Financial	
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	· —	riate explanation of the Computation of Net Capital Under Rule 15c3-1 and the
		the Reserve Requirements Under Exhibit A of Rule 15c3-3.
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<sup>\*\*</sup>For conditions of confidential treatment of certain portions of this filing, see section 240.17a-5(e)(3).

# GAVEKAL SECURITIES LLC

# FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

DECEMBER 31, 2005

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#### REPORT OF INDEPENDENT AUDITORS

To the Members GaveKal Securities LLC

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of GaveKal Securities LLC ("the Company") as of December 31, 2005, and the related statements of income, changes in members' capital, changes in liabilities subordinated to claims of general creditors, and cash flows for the year then ended that you are filing pursuant to rule 17a-5 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of GaveKal Securities LLC at December 31, 2005, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the basic financial statements taken as a whole. The information contained on pages 9 and 10 is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements, but is supplementary information required by rule 17a-5 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

Moore Stephens, P.C. Certified Public Accountants

Moore Stephens, P. C.

New York, New York February 9, 2006

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# GaveKal Securities LLC Statement of Financial Condition December 31, 2005

#### **ASSETS**

ASSETS		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	379,158
Receivable from broker-dealers		69,036
	\$	448,194
LIABILITIES AND MEMBERS' CAPITAL		
LIABILITIES Accounts payable and accrued expenses	_\$_	27,158
Total Liabilities		27,158
MEMBERS' CAPITAL		421,036
	\$	448,194

## **Statement of Income**

# For the Year Ended December 31, 2005

REVENUE		
Commission income	\$	1,753,869
Interest income		10,200
		1,764,069
EXPENSES		
Commissions and floor brokerage		342,634
Market data		35,170
Professional fees		31,611
Other operating expenses	_	4,955
		414,370
NET INCOME	\$	1,349,699

# GaveKal Securities LLC Statement of Changes in Members' Capital For the Year Ended December 31, 2005

Members' Capital balance at January 1, 2004	\$ 721,635
Net income	1,349,699
Distributions to members	 (1,650,298)
Members' Capital balance at December 31, 2005	\$ 421,036

# Statement of Changes in Liabilities

#### **Subordinated Claims to General Creditors**

# For the Year Ended December 31, 2005

Subordinated Liabilities at January 1, 2005	\$ 0
Increases	0
Decreases	 0
Subordinated Liabilities at December 31, 2005	\$ 0

## **Statement of Cash Flows**

## For the Year Ended December 31, 2005

CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES  Net Income  Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash  provided by operating activities:  Changes in operating assets and liabilities	\$ 1,349,699
Decrease (Increase) in operating assets:	
Due from broker-dealers	43,563
Increase (Decrease) in operating liabilites:	
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	15,158
Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities	1,408,420
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES	
Distributions to members	(1,650,298)
Net Cash Used in Financing Activities	(1,650,298)
NET DECREASE IN CASH	(241,878)
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, beginning of year	621,036
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, end of year	\$ 379,158
Suplemental Disclosure of Cash Flow Information: Interest Paid	\$ 0
Taxes Paid	\$ 0

# GaveKal Securities LLC Notes to Financial Statements

#### 1. THE COMPANY

The Company was organized as a limited liability company in February, 2003. It is registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission and is a member of the National Association of Securities Dealers ("NASD") to act as a broker-dealer and does not carry customer accounts. The Company is a subsidiary of Wolfpit Holdings (USA), Inc.

The Company provides proprietary research and securities brokerage services to a variety of institutional clients.

#### 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### a. Management Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

#### b. Income Taxes

No provision for income taxes has been made in the accompanying financial statements as the Company has elected to be taxed as a partnership whereby payment of federal and state income taxes is the responsibility of the individual members.

#### c. Commission Revenue

Commission revenue and related clearing expenses are recorded on a trade-date basis as securities transactions occur.

#### d. Cash Equivalents

The Company classifies investments with maturity dates of three months or less when purchased as cash equivalents. The Company did not hold any cash equivalents at December 31, 2005.

#### 3. NET CAPITAL REQUIREMENTS

The Company is subject to the Securities and Exchange Commission Uniform Net Capital Rule (rule 15c3-1), which requires the maintenance of minimum net capital and requires that the ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital, both as defined, shall not exceed 15 to 1. At December 31, 2005, the Company's net capital of \$399,849 was \$394,849 in excess of its required net capital of \$5,000. The Company's ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital was .07 to 1 at December 31, 2005.

# GaveKal Securities LLC Notes to Financial Statements (continued)

#### 4. FAIR VALUE OF FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

Statement of Financial Accounting Standards ("SFAS") No.107, "Disclosures about Fair Values of Financial Instruments", requires disclosing fair value to the extent practicable for financial instruments, which are recognized or unrecognized in the balance sheet. The fair value of the financial instruments disclosed herein is not necessarily representative of the amount that could be realized or settled, nor does the fair value amount consider the tax consequences of realization or settlement.

For certain financial instruments, including cash and cash equivalents, receivables from broker-dealers, accounts payable and accrued expenses, it is assumed that the carrying amount approximates fair value because of the near term maturities of such instruments.

#### 5. CREDIT/CONCENTRATION RISKS

- a. The Company maintains balances in financial institutions which exceed the maximum level of insurance provided by Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC) and the Securities Investor Protection Corporation (SIPC). At December 31, 2005, such excess amounted to approximately \$279,000.
- b. The Company does not require collateral or other security to support financial instruments subject to credit risk.
- c. In 2005, the Company derived approximately \$451,000 (26%) and \$167,000 (10%) of commissions from two clients.

#### 6. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

An entity, affiliated with the Company through common ownership, provided trading, brokerage and other related services on behalf of the Company through September 30, 2005. The total amount paid for these services and charged to operations was approximately \$209,200. Effective September 30, 2005, the affiliate withdrew its registration as a broker-dealer. The brokerage activities were transferred to another related party for the remainder of the year. The total amount paid for these services and charged to operations was approximately \$133,500. This related party employs the president of GaveKal Securities, LLC.

The receivable from the related party at December 31, 2005 consists primarily of commissions earned by the Company on securities transactions of approximately \$42,000.

#### 7. SUBSEQUENT EVENT

In February 2006, the Company distributed approximately \$320,000 to its members.

# Computation of Net Capital Under Rule 15c3-1 of the Securities and Exchange Commission

## December 31, 2005

NET CAPITAL  Total members' capital  Add: Liabilities subordinated to claims of general creditors allowable in computation of net capital	421,036
Total Capital and Subordinated Liabilities	421,036
Deductions and/or charges:	(21,187)
Net Capital Before Haircuts on Securities Positions Haircuts on securities	399,849
Net Capital	399,849
AGGREGATE INDEBTEDNESS  Items included in statement of financial condition:  Accounts payable, accrued expenses and other liabilities	27,158
Total Aggregate Indebtedness	27,158
COMPUTATION OF BASIC NET CAPITAL REQUIREMENT Minimum net capital required: A. Based on aggregate indebtedness	1,811
B. Based on minimum dollar requirement	5,000
Net Capital Requirement (greater of A or B)	5,000
Excess net capital	394,849
Excess net capital at 1000%	397,133
Ratio: Aggregate indebtedness to net capital	0.07

Note: There are no material differences between this computation and the Company's corresponding computation included in the unaudited Focus Report Part IIA filing as of December 31, 2005

#### Statement Pursuant to Rule 15c3-3

## of the Securities and Exchange Commission

December 31, 2005

The Company, pursuant to Regulation 240.15c3-3 (k)(2)(ii), is a general broker-dealer that is exempt from the reporting requirements of Rule 15c3-3 as it is an introducing broker-dealer only and does not carry customer accounts.



# REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL STRUCTURE REQUIRED BY THE SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION RULE 17a-5

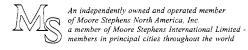
To the Members GaveKal Securities LLC

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements and supplemental schedules of GaveKal Securities LLC, (the "Company") for the year ended December 31, 2005, we considered its internal control, including control activities for safeguarding securities, in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements and not to provide assurance on internal control.

Also, as required by rule 17a-5(g)(1) of the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC), we have made a study of the practices and procedures followed by the Company including tests of such practices and procedures that we considered relevant to the objectives stated in rule 17a-5(g) in making the periodic computations of aggregate indebtedness and net capital under rule 17a-3(a)(11) and for determining compliance with the exemptive provisions of rule 15c3-3. Because the Company does not carry securities accounts for customers or perform custodial functions relating to customer securities, we did not review the practices and procedures followed by the Company in any of the following:

- 1. Making quarterly securities examinations, counts, verifications and comparisons and recordation of differences required by rule 17a-13
- 2. Complying with the requirements for prompt payment for securities under Section 8 of Federal Reserve Regulation T of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System
- 3. Obtaining and maintaining physical possession or control of all fully paid and excess margin securities of customer as required by Rule 15c3-3

The management of the Company is responsible for establishing and maintaining internal control and the practices and procedures referred to in the preceding paragraph. In fulfilling this responsibility, estimates and judgments by management are required to assess the expected benefits and related costs of controls and of the practices and procedures referred to in the preceding paragraph and to assess whether those practices and procedures can be expected to achieve the SEC's above-mentioned objectives. Two of the objectives of internal control and the practices and procedures are to provide management with reasonable but not absolute assurance that assets for which the Company has responsibility are safeguarded against loss from unauthorized use or disposition and that transactions are executed in accordance with management's authorization and recorded properly to permit the preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles. Rule 17a-5(g) lists additional objectives of the practices and procedures listed in the preceding paragraph.



Because of inherent limitations in internal control or the practices and procedures referred to above, error or fraud may occur and not be detected. Also, projection of any evaluation of them to future periods is subject to the risk that they may become inadequate because of changes in conditions or that the effectiveness of their design and operation may deteriorate.

Our consideration of internal control would not necessarily disclose all matters in internal control that might be material weaknesses under standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. A material weakness is a condition in which the design or operation of one or more of the internal control components does not reduce to a relatively low level the risk that misstatements caused by error or fraud in amounts that would be material in relation to the financial statements being audited may occur and not be detected within a timely period by employees in the normal course of performing their assigned functions. However, we noted no matters involving internal control, including control activities for safeguarding securities that we consider to be material weaknesses as defined above.

We understand that practices and procedures that accomplish the objectives referred to in the second paragraph of this report are considered by the SEC to be adequate for its purposes in accordance with the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and related regulations, and that practices and procedures that do not accomplish such objectives in all material respects indicate a material inadequacy for such purposes. Based on this understanding and on our study, we believe that the Company's practices and procedures were adequate at December 31, 2005, to meet the SEC's objectives.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Members, management, the SEC, the National Association of Securities Dealers, and other regulatory agencies that rely on Rule 17a-5(g) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 in their regulation of registered brokers and dealers, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Moore Stephens, P.C.

Certified Public Accountants

Moore Steplens, A.C.

New York, New York February 9, 2006